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ALEXANDRIA, VA. FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 19, 1909.

PRICE 2 CENTS

DRY GOODS.

### Clearance Sale of Boys' Winter Clothing

Some are reduced a third, some a half and ever article is no unusual value. Below we mention a few interesting

Bys' All-wool Saits, of bine cheviot and worsted and black unfinished wor-ateds, with knickerbocker trousers; sizes 7 to 17. Fine dressy suits.

Special price, \$6.50.

Were \$9.00, \$10 and \$11.

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Special price, \$4.75 each. Were \$6.50, \$7.50, and \$8.50. Bys' Long and Short Reefers; lined

with flaunel; s'z's 2t to 10.

Special price, \$4 75 each.

Were \$7 50, \$8 50, and \$10.00. Bays' Reefers and Overceats, sulfable

Special price, \$3.95 esch. Were \$6.00, \$6.50, and \$7.50.

Youths' All-wool Long Trousers Suits (cost, pants, and vest); sizes 15 to 20, or 31 to 36 inch chest messure. Special price, \$6.00 ranh. Were \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$11. Third floor-10th st.

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We have just received and placed on sale a new line of Girls' Costs, for spring wear, of excellent quality chev-iots, in rich plain colors and checked and striped effects. \$6.00 to \$12.50 each.

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\$5 00 and \$6.00 each.

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will be rented for the enuing twelve months. The rentor will be required to furnish m teria' for and lay playform sufficient to neccumodate the trade. All passways must be kept open free from obstruction. The rector to e e tuo buildings within a less distance than 20 feet from the south front. No privilege for the sale of liquors will be granted inconsistent with the laws of the city on the subject.

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THE QUALTROUGH CHARGES. A copy of the record of the court-mart'al which recently found Capt. Edward F. Qualtrough, of the battleship Georgia, guilty of intoxication and "conduct to the prijudice of good order and discipline," makes it possible to give for the first time an idea of the charges against the accused officer. The offense of which fer school and general wear; size 3 to Captain Qualtrough was found guilty and for which he was sentenced to enspension for six months and to loss of ten numbers in his rating was committed on the night of January 30 st a dinner given by U. S. Minister Gummere at Tangier in honor of Bear Admiral Wainwright, the officers of the battleships Georgia and Nebraska and the foreign ministers at Tangier.

The first and principal witness at ainst the co-mander of the battleship Georgia was Kesr Admiral Richard Wainwright, commander of the second division of the Atlantic fizet. The admiral testified that immediately after the dinner he noticed the captain standing in the entrance of the reception-room smoking.
"At there were ladies in the reception-room," he said "I walked over to him and told him that this was no place to be smoking. He followed me towards and told him that this was no place to the smoking-room and finally sat down in a chair. From his manner and de-Skirts.

In spring weights, of serges and panamas, in plain blue and black and nest checks, trimmed with silk and buttons.

The admiral said that before the discussion of the silk and buttons.

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The admiral said that before the din-ner he could not make up his mind whether Captain Qua'trough had been drinking or not, but he did not think he was in his normal condition.

Lieut, Stephen Rowan, of Rear Admiral Wainwright's staff, testified that ne caw Captain Qualtrough after the dinner and that he was then under the influence of intoxicating liquor,

Other officers testified that they did not think Captain Qualtrough intoxi-

TAFT DECLARED A MASON. William H. Taft, president-elect of the United States, has been declared a Master Mason. The ceremony which brought him that distinction yesterday was conducted by Charles S, Hoskinson, the Most Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of

the State of Ohio.

The highest Masonic authorities of eventeen States witnessed Mr. Tsfi's admission into the order, as did a body of distinguished citizens of Cincinnati, in which the ceremony took place, and the members of Kilwinning Lodge, of which Alphonso Taft, fa her of the president-elect, was a member, and into which Charles P. Tait was inducted un-

der the auspices of his father.
Spottish Rite Cathedral was the scene of the ceremonies. Its main floor and gallery were filled when the candidate arrived. The procedure, which culminited in the declaration that Mr. Taft was a Mason, occupied 35 minutes. Following the ceremony, C. P. Taft threw his home open to the visiting Masons, and there the president-elect met all of

The experience of being declared a Mason at sight was not ended with the afternoon session of the grand lodge. Mr. Talt witnessed during the evening the regular form of initiating a member. Concluding the ceremonies was a brilliant ball at the Alma Hotel which Mr. Taft

Hham Lodge, No 21, of Winchester, Va. the lodge that initiated William McKinley into Masonry, sent a representative to the Tast initiation.

B fore the ceremony was over, Judge Talt was notified that additional honor had been conferred upon him in Masonic circles. He got word that the Masonic Club of Yale University had taken his in as an hono: a y member.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE,

Constant and uninterrupted growth of the cost of public printing has increased was taken by a stranger when a little boy. He said that the man left him or 000 in 1840 to more than \$7,000,000 in a country road near Willmanic, Ct. 1905, according to the report of the printing investigation commission, created four years ago, which submitted yesterday to Congress a report covering its

extensive inquiry.

Savings of more than a half million dollars a year are being effected, according to the report, as the result of legislation recommended from time to time, giving the joint committee on printing certain powers of supervision. It states that under recent legislation 279,598,-\$37 printed pages, including such ex-pensive publications as the C ngressional Record, the publications of the Geologi-cal Survey and the year book of the Department of Agriculture were elimit a'ed | Bichard Gibson. from the surplus printing which had formerly been piling up in warehouses to be finally condemned and sold as

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Many department reports have been reduced in volume and others have been recommended for discontinuance.

SAID HE WAS CHARLEY ROSS Charles Brewer, a farmhand, who was run over by the cars and killed near Middletown, N. Y., Wednesday, claimed that he was the original Charley Ross who was stolen away from his home in Philadelphia, nearly ferty years ago, and whose disappearance caused such a sensation. Brewer camed that he had recollections of his home in a quie street in Philadelphia, from which he

fermhouse of Philip G Brewer, who took him in and 'a er adopted him, giving him his rame, as the boy could not tell his own rame. It was not notil he had grown up that he remembered his Pall adelphia home and then be could not prove that he was the mis ing Charley

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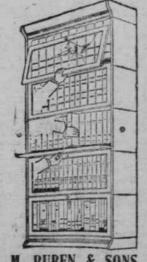
The report makes it clear that this printing was entirely an undistributed surplus, these surplus copies being equivalent to 559,197 valumes of 500 pages each for the year 1907. The raving on feeth and the statement of the stockholders of the JULIUS LANSBURGH FURNITURE AND CARPET CO., for the election diseases, will be held at Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandris, Va., on WEDNESDAY, February 24; 1909. IRVIN H. HOLLANDER, feb9 at Secretary-Treasurer.

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